

# THE RALEIGH NEWS.

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RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA, TUESDAY MORNING, JANUARY 23 1877.

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## GRAIN AND FEED STORES.

J. OSBORN &amp; SONS

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A GOOD SUPPLY OF

Horse and Cow Food, Grain,

Hay, Flour, Meal,

## WOOD AND COAL

LOW FOR CASH.

Office and Feed Store corner of Wilmington

and Davis streets, near Osborn House,

and west of N. C. Freight Depot. Jan 16-17

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertise in a paper of Universal cir-

culation, a paper which maintains high prin-

ciple in all things, a paper acceptable to the

best of all parties, and such a paper the

NEWS is calculated to be by all men whose

opinion is worth having.

## NOTICE OF PRIVATE ACT.

Notice is hereby given that application will

be made to the General Assembly of North

Carolina, at its present session, for the passage

of a law to incorporate the Farmers' Savings

Bank of Raleigh, N. C.

Jan. 23-18

THOMAS RABBITT, Administrator.

## SALE OF VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY.

By virtue of the power contained in a deed

of trust executed to the undersigned as trustee

for the benefit of certain parties therein

named, by the late Thomas W. Levey, on the

7th day of January, 1877, I shall expose to

public sale, at the residence of the undersigned,

on Monday, the 27th day of February, at 10

o'clock, A. M., the following property, to-wit:

1. A lot in the city of Charlotte known as

the Pankin House of the Bank of Mecklen-

burg and occupied by the late Thomas W.

Levey, extending fifty-six (56) feet on Tryon

street, and the same on Church street, and

extending from street to street.

2. Also one lot in Charlotte in the Northern

portion of the city, fronting on the corner

of the intersection of the property of M. L.

Parker, 380 by 25 feet, comprising three front

and three back lots.

The latter will be sold in separate lots.

Terms made known on day of sale.

E. H. DEWEY, Trustee.

Jan. 23-18

## FORECLOSURE OF MORTGAGE.

By virtue of the provisions of a deed of

mortgage executed by Shadrach Branch

and Ann Branch, John Branch and Sister

Branch to the undersigned, dated the 6th day

of August, 1875, and registered in the

Register's office, in book 11, p. 568, I will, on Sat-

urday, the 17th day of February, 1877, at 12

o'clock, A. M., sell at the Court House door in the city

of Raleigh, the following described land and

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## THE CITY.

THE RALEIGH NEWS IS THE OLDEST

DAILY NEWSPAPER IN RALEIGH, AND HAS THE

LARGEST DAILY CIRCULATION IN NORTH CARO-

LINA, AND MORE THAN DOUBLE THAT OF ANY

OTHER DAILY IN THE CITY OF RALEIGH.

THE WEEKLY NEWS HAS THE LARGEST

CIRCULATION IN NORTH CAROLINA, AND IS THE

MOST VALUABLE MEDIUM OF ADVERTISEMENT

FOR A STRICTLY "FARMERS' TRADE."

The Daily News is served by faithful and re-

liable carriers to all parts of the city for 12 1/2

cents per week. Persons desiring to have

the paper left at their residence will please

call or send address to the office, No. 6 Martin

street.

## Index to New Advertisements.

W. R. PEPPER—Fony up.

THOMAS RABBITT—Sale of personal property.

A. C. SANDERS &amp; CO.—Notice of sale of goods.

F. H. DEWEY—Sale of valuable city property.

See notice of private act.

## LOCAL BRIEFS.

We call attention to the advertisement

of the sale of valuable city property

in Charlotte on the 27th of February.

The Eclectic German Club will

give a German tea-night at the National

Hotel.

You who want to laugh and

otherwise enjoy yourselves, go to Metro-

politan Hall to-night.

One of the policemen was sus-

pended yesterday, for five days, for

playing cards, Saturday night, while on

duty.

Mr. Chas. Belvin, formerly chief

clerk in the post office, has become book-

keeper in the Raleigh National Bank,

and Mr. Chas. McDonald has taken a

clerkship in the post office.

We would thank people not to

come into this office in the absence of

the editors and take papers out. If they

cannot let things alone when they come,

they would please us better by not com-

ing at all.

Farmers report the country roads

in a desperately bad condition, with

mud which touches the hubs of their

wagon wheels. The farmers have done

nothing since the snow fell, two nights

before Christmas.

## A Youthful Thief.

Sunday night about 9 o'clock, some

person walking along Market Square

discovered that two slats had been pulled

off one of the doors near the east end

of the building. Information was left at

police headquarters at once, and one or

more officers went around to the door,

entered, and found that a slat had been

pulled off.

Cole, colored. Lying up in a corner of

the stall was a youthful darkey, about

10 years of age, by name Eli Haywood,

a character who is well known to the

police. He was snoring loudly, and had

all the appearance of one sleeping the

sleep of the just. From all of his pockets

practically the ends of seductive

looking ginger-cakes, and not less than

a half dozen of these were clasped in his

warm and tender embrace, as he held

his arms around his bosom and "hid him

down to pleasant dreams." (in a horn.)

After some difficulty he was released

from his feigned sleep, when he protested

that he had been locked up in the

stall Saturday night. His arguments

were of no force or effect, however, and

he was led off to prison and from prison,

pending his trial, to judgment. His

honorable Mayor reminded Eli that he

had been to jail three times already for

this very offence, and had been dismis-

## GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA.

SESSION OF 1876-77.

MONDAY, Jan. 22.

The Senate was called to order at

10:30 A. M., Lieutenant-Governor Jarvis

in the chair.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Marshall of the

city.

The Journal of Saturday was read and

approved.

## REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Stewart for the Judiciary com-

mittee; Mr. Moore, of Mecklenburg,

from the committee on Enrolled Bills;

Mr. Scales, from the committee on Cor-

porations; Mr. McKee, from the com-

mittee on Enrolled Bills; Mr. Finger,

from the committee on Education, sub-

mitted reports.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Finger: A bill to entitled an

act to revise and consolidate the public

school laws. (Read by title.)

[The bill provides that township

committees be abolished, and that their

duties be divided between the county

board of education and district com-

mittees. It further provides that each

county shall, without regard to town-

ship lines, be divided into convenient

school districts, each district to have

its own committee, charged with the

hiring of its own teacher and the con-

trol of its own school. It further pro-

vides that, on the first Monday in Sep-

tember, the county board of education

shall apportion all funds received from

the State board of education and from the

operation of sec. 5, art. 9, of the con-

stitution; also all the ordinary revenue

levied for the current fiscal year, so that

each school committee will be informed

of the amount of funds apportioned to

them. The sheriff is required to settle

for the school fund on the 1st of Decem-

ber.]

Referred to the committee on Educa-

tion.

By Mr. Thorne: A bill to be entitled

an act to remove the political disabilities

of Wm. W. Holden. Referred to the

Judiciary committee.

By Mr. Justice: A bill to be entitled

an act to farm out convicts to labor on

the road leading to Rutherford, in the

county of Rutherford. Committee

on Corporations.

## CALENDAR.

An act to allow the qualified voters of

Milton township (it appeared by three-

fifths of them,) to subscribe \$15,000 to

the capital stock of the Milton &amp; Suther-

land Narrow Gauge Railroad Company,

came up from the calendar, on its third

reading, and was passed by a vote of

10 yeas and 4 nays. It was referred to

the committee on the calendar.

By Mr. Justice: A bill to be entitled

an act to regulate proceedings against

owners of mill dams for injury done

thereby. Committee on Judiciary.

Bill to regulate the manner of sum-

moning juries in capital cases, informally

passed over.

By Mr. Latham: A resolution that the

Senate meet at 10 A. M. and adjourn

at 2 P. M. Calendar.

Adjourned.

## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

MONDAY, Jan. 22, 1877.

The House met at 11 o'clock A. M.,

and was called to order by the Speaker.

The Journal of Saturday was read and

approved.

## PETITIONS.

The following petitions were presented,

a company concerning which nobody

knew anything, and thought the passage

of the bill would be highly expedient.

Mr. Scales argued in behalf of the

bill. He said that the people of the

east desired its passage, and he thought

this the best chance the State would

ever have for making the lands market-

able.

After a great deal of debate, to vote

was had and the bill passed, yeas 15,

nays 20.

## MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

A message was received from the

House announcing the appointment of

House branch of joint committees on

Public Charities and on re-districting

the State, and another message an-

nouncing the passage of diverse bills and

resolutions, in which were asked con-

sensus. These were placed on the cal-

endar or otherwise appropriately refer-

red.

## CALENDAR RESUMED.

Upon motion of Mr. Justice, of Meck-

lenburg, the rules were suspended, and

the Senate took up the bill to incorpo-

rate Middle University (colored) in the

county of Mecklenburg. The bill passed

its second reading, and as slightly

amended passed its third reading.

Upon motion of Mr. Short, the rules

were suspended and his resolution pro-

viding for the printing of 500 copies of

the Governor's inaugural address and

message for the use of the General

Assembly was taken up and adopted.

Mr. Liles moved to reconsider the

vote by which the bill for the improve-

ment and reclamation of certain swamp

lands, failed to pass.

Mr. Stanford moved to postpone un-

til Thursday at 12 o'clock and make

special order. Adopted.

By Mr. Graham: A bill to provide for

the arrangement of disordered records

of courts of equity. Judiciary com-

mittee.

By Mr. Dortch: A bill concerning the

town of Goldsboro. Committee on

Corporations.

Bill to incorporate the town of Holly-

Springs in the county of Wake, came up

from the calendar and passed its second

reading.

By Mr. Justice: A bill to be entitled

an act to regulate proceedings against

owners of mill dams for injury done

thereby. Committee on Judiciary.



# DAILY NEWS.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1877.

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Persons unable to obtain the NEWS at News Agencies, on Railway Trains, and other places where usually sold, will confer a favor by reporting the fact to us.

Our subscribers will greatly oblige us by giving prompt information of any delay in receiving their papers.

1877.

## A Year of Momentous Political Events.

### Prospectus of the Raleigh News.

Momentous events are thronging to the front. Two political parties of the country are marshaling their intellectual forces for the constitutional battle, on which hangs the fate of the government or the ensuring years, perhaps for all the time. From now until the 4th of March the republic will be the theatre of a drama more thrilling in interest than any before enacted in America, to be followed, in all probability, by a period of the profoundest concern to all our people. Some predict a terrible clash of arms, but whether or not war results from the turbulent condition of the public mind, it is certain that the year 1877 will see thick crowding occurrences of great moment.

Of these events and circumstances the NEWS will be a watchful, faithful chronicler. Its news will be the freshest and fullest that competent and experienced journalists can obtain on whatever field the same is to be collected.

The NEWS will endeavor, in its editorial course, to uphold the constitution and counsel moderation in the treatment of political questions, but firmness in the defence and maintenance of principle, as the only foundation of enduring peace.

The NEWS is the authorized organ of the Democratic party.

In all its departments—News and Correspondence, Political, Commercial, Financial, Agricultural, Local, Miscellaneous, &c., the NEWS will at least sustain the character it has so long held, and which has been acknowledged in thousands of commendations from the press, and from the reading public.

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One copy, six months, .75

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Papers not sent unless paid for in advance and invariably discontinued at the end of time paid for.

The Western North Carolina Railroad bill comes up in the Senate to-day. An interesting debate may be expected.

SENATOR MERRIMON yesterday spoke in opposition to sending committees of the Senate away from the city to take testimony.

We refer our readers to the excellent speech of Senator Cunningham on the bill to repeal the usury law, which we print in another column this morning.

AS important bill in relation to the powers of the General Assembly over courts inferior to the Supreme Court, passed the Senate yesterday. It carries into effect the amendment which abrogated and annulled sections fifteen, sixteen and seventeen of article four of the Constitution.

THE Washington Union and the National Republican, both oppose the Committee's scheme for settling the Presidential question. The Union thinks it is a clear back down on the part of the Democrats; while the Republican regards it as a "fearfully wonderful proposition and inspired by the Devil." Extremes will sometimes meet.

OUR Northern exchanges indicate very clearly that public sentiment approves the committee's plan for settling the electoral question. Dispatches from all parts of the country to members of Congress, approving of the Electoral bill and urging its passage, have been pouring into Washington. The present condition of political uncer-

tainty is very injurious to all kinds of business interests, and it is evident that the plan recommended will receive the hearty support of the commercial classes everywhere without regard to party. It is absolutely essential for the welfare of the country that there be a fair, peaceful and immediate settlement of the disputed points. The prompt, urgent and universal demand going up from all sections of the Union will have an important influence upon Congress.

## THE WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA RAILROAD.

There are many and most potential reasons why the work now going on on the Western North Carolina Railroad should be pushed rapidly forward to completion. This is a great State work. It constitutes a large part of the main stem of our Railroad system. It is designed to connect our railways with the railways leading to the Mississippi Valley and the West; and to link our seaports more closely with the rich resources of our beautiful, bounteous mountain lands. The whole people are interested in it. Every section of North Carolina would experience benefit from its completion. In no sense of the word can it be called a local line. It therefore commends itself to the attention, the interests and the good will of the men from the sea-coast and the middle country, as well as those of the piedmont and the transmontane regions.

The State has already expended vast sums of money upon the enterprise. It is now paying interest upon the \$850,000 of bonds issued for the purchase of the road. To let the project drop or drag at this stage would be to sacrifice or jeopardize the heavy investment already made. True wisdom would say devise means at once to protect and secure this interest to the State by speedily finishing the road, and so making it the source of profit which it was originally designed to be. The Joint Select Committee report that they are of the opinion that "the State has made a judicious investment in the purchase of the road, provided the advantages gained be properly utilized and the road prosecuted to completion, when it will be quite a source of revenue to the State. In the opinion of some practical men," they say, "the revenue would be equal to at least one half of the cost of the present State government." That is poor statesmanship and poorer economy which would suffer the project to languish when so near furnishing the State some of the fruits of her investment. It would be like saving a penny to lose a pound.

The completion of this road is a necessity to the citizens of the West, particularly those of the transmontane section. They need it for the purposes of trade, traffic and travel; for the opening up of the immense stores of mineral wealth lying dormant in the mountain water-powers which may be found along the streams crossed by the proposed line; for the promotion of the agricultural and stock-raising interests of the people of this glorious region; and, in a word, to bring them in a more direct and speedy communication with the outside world. The necessity is great and urgent. Those people have built their hopes upon the early completion of the project; and profound disappointment would ensue if this General Assembly should go home without devising the means for finishing the line.

The Democratic Party has solemnly pledged itself to the vigorous prosecution of this work. That pledge was made in the platform adopted by the State Democratic Convention last June. It is our bounden duty to make that pledge good. The honor of the party, if not its welfare, is at stake, and requires it. The time for action, for the redemption of the promise, is at hand; and should we fail to act, need we be surprised if we hear deep, earnest, prolonged complaint from our brethren in the West? "Hope deferred maketh the heart sick."

An appropriation of one hundred and forty thousand dollars, at the outside, in conjunction with the employment of all the convict labor not already farmed out, it is estimated will be sufficient to build the road to Asheville by the first of next year. The people of North Carolina could not invest that amount of money in a more profitable way. The small increase of taxation necessary to meet this appropriation would hardly be felt. The State is not too poor to afford it; and we know of no taxation which would turn so richly to the benefit of the whole people, whom we believe are generally in favor of completing as speedily as possible this great work of Internal Improvement which for nearly a half century has been the pet railroad project of our leading statesmen.

## SUPERINTENDENCY OF THE INSANE ASYLUM.

We present elsewhere this morning a communication urging the retention of Dr. Eugene Grissom as superintendent of the Insane Asylum. We are willing that both sides shall be heard in this matter. Nothing evokes the spark of truth more effectually than the clashing of opinion. There is a right way and there is a wrong way in this as in things of greater moment; and fair, full discussion leads to the discovery of the right way, and the avoidance of the wrong.

The main ideas underlying this and other arguments advanced in behalf of the present distinguished superintendent of the Insane Asylum, seem to be, 1st, that it is wrong to change the heads of our charitable institutions on party grounds; 2d, that Dr. Eugene Grissom is *par excellence* the best man in the State for the position which he now occupies; and 3d, that his removal would work injury to the institution and be a

positive unkindness to the unfortunate inmates now under his care.

On the other hand it is urged, 1st, that the Democratic party having come into power there should be a clean sweep of Republicans from all the public offices; 2d, that the retention of Dr. Eugene Grissom as superintendent of the Insane Asylum is not essential to the well-being of that institution; and 3d, that his place can be acceptably filled by a judicious selection from among the medical men known to be in sympathy with the reform movement which is working the redemption of the State. Our own opinion is that the necessity should be very great, very urgent and thoroughly patent to the commonest understanding, to justify the retention of an avowed Republican in a public office which could be as well filled by a Democrat. We do not see such necessity in this case; for we are not willing to admit that there are not in the Democratic ranks of North Carolina physicians equally competent with Dr. Grissom for the management of the Insane Asylum. We know that Dr. Grissom's peer may be found within the limits of this State; and we are sorry for the intelligence of the man who thinks the contrary. Whatever may be the conceded ability of Dr. Grissom, or however clever and amiable he may be, we see no good reason why an exception should be made in his case. The people of North Carolina have put the Democratic party in power. They mean them to take charge of all the public concerns. Republican rule must end in every department; or our party must be ready to admit that it is unable to find capable men in our ranks for all the offices.

## LIGHT FOR RALEIGH.

The streets of Raleigh should be lighted up at night. There exists a public necessity for light on the streets. Every man, woman and child, we imagine, recognizes this necessity. Then why is it not done? Why are we left in Egyptian darkness, with rough pavements, ill-conditioned crossings, and mud and holes and ditches in profusion?

Light is denied us by the city authorities, we understand, on grounds of economy. It is too expensive, they say, to light the city with gas. Well, so it is, with gas at present rates. But there is a possibility of obtaining gas at more reasonable prices.

To accomplish this object, there are two plans presented. One is for the city to build gas works of its own, and supply the city with light at as cheap a rate as possible. The other plan is for the city to co-operate with capitalists in the establishment of other gas works, so as to produce competition.

Either of these plans is feasible, but, if neither can be adopted, why not light a hundred times better than no lamps at all; and such light would certainly not be too costly. It is the cheapest of all lights.

We earnestly and most respectfully commend this subject to the attention of our city authorities. To leave the town in absolute darkness through these long, black, rainy winter nights, is inconvenient, disagreeable, dangerous, and thoroughly unhygienic.

## NORTH CAROLINA.

The wife of Mr. Duncan McPherson of Richmond county, was burned to death by her clothes taking fire, on the 10th inst.

The young ladies of Greensboro have formed a "Hard Times Society," and invite the young men to the weekly meetings; the object of the society, or the invitations is not stated.

Two negroes "got shot" in Wilmington last week—three bags of them—from a store, by slight of hand. They (the negroes) were caught and put in jail, and the shot returned to the owner.

So far ten persons have been sentenced to the penitentiary during the present term of New Hanover Superior Court, the term of one being for five and the remainder for three years each.

They are about to start a factory at Greensboro to grind sumac, of which large quantities were purchased last season. This will add one important item to the income of that class who formerly dug roots and gathered berries for a livelihood.

Col. Lewis Holmes was accidentally cut on the ankle with an axe in the hands of another party, at his residence near Clemmonsville, recently, severing all the tendons, by which, it is thought, he will be lamed for life.

New Paper.—Mr. T. C. Alexander has commenced the publication of a new pictorial Weekly, at Mooresville, on the A. T. & O. Railroad. The *Landmark* says it is filled with embellishments of roosters, mules, revenue officers, &c., and is written in a legible hand.

Goldsboro Messenger: The negro who stole Mr. Potter's horse and biggy at Snow Hill and then fired the stables was captured near Washington, in Beaufort county, and is now securely lodged in jail at Snow Hill. His name is Proctor and is well known in Goldsboro.

Mr. R. D. Redmon was knocked down and robbed of two hundred dollars, in Fredrick county, one day last week, by two men, thought to be negroes, while out feeding his stock, early in the morning. The robbers have not been caught.

A drunken negro man entered a bed room in a private house in Morganton one night last week and got knocked down with a club, and refusing to leave when ordered out, he then went to another house and caused much fright to the inmates by independently walking in, declaring he had a right to go where he pleased.

"Pe Deo Beo" is the name of the paper published at Rockingham, formerly under the title of "Courier," and it has eight pages instead of four, well printed and filled with exceedingly readable matter. Its enlargement and general get-up are on evidences either of a big subscriber or the publisher having plenty of money.

(For the News.)

Dr. Eugene Grissom.

"The worst of human ills  
A mind diseased."—AMSTRONG.

The writer has read with great satisfaction the excellent lecture of Dr. Eugene Grissom, on The Border Land of Insanity. The State of North Carolina deserves great praise for the enlarged liberality she has bestowed on philanthropic institutions for the suffering among their fellow citizens. Ever since that noble and highly cultured benevolent lady, Miss Dix, visited Raleigh, and by her earnest appeals and lucid statement of facts in behalf of the wretched deaf and dumb, and the far more deplorable condition of the insane, an interest has been excited in the hearts of our people, which has had an active, earnest response from the Legislature, to every call for substantial aid. These valuable means to mitigate miseries that may pervade persons in all classes of society.

In regard to cases of insanity, in particular, the writer has ample experience, in at least 12 cases, to rejoice in the increased facilities of not only protecting society from the mad, but the mad from himself or herself, when neither of them were themselves! The melancholic attempted suicide; the furious maniac homicide, even striking at the lives of parents, wives, children, as if they were their worst enemies. Those whom the skill of the North Carolina physician could not restore, he was bound after a long and earnest treatment to send to some Northern institution; where every facility of skilled experience and amply furnished apparatus could be employed to restore reason to the individuals, and their happy return to their old loves; or if the cloud still impended, to give it the only silver lining of a humane gentle indulgence, blended with a firmness to secure them from self-harm.

The writer regretted to see an article in your valuable paper, not long ago, which has been painful to him, ever since his active interest in politics as a Jackson Democrat for 50 years, as too sweeping for the right of free suffrage. It is the sentiment of the Van Buren stripe of "bread and butter" politics, "To the victors belong the spoils." He argues not only the propriety of the removal of the incumbents of civil offices of the State, for the sake of the unity and interests of our party; but he protrudes and pretends his broom into humane hospitals for the special relief of the most unhappy, unfortunate class of North Carolina—those citizens, drawn from all ranks of society from every part of the whole State. He has no higher opinion than I have, of the medical faculty of this city, as ornaments of the branches of plastic and surgery. But the province of management of the insane is a specialty demanding years of intense research not only in learned books, but skilled experience. Besides all this, every conscientious physician would feel deeply embarrassed in taking charge of a hospital for the insane out of the counsel and care of a predecessor, who thoroughly understood each individual case. For the honor of the State which ought to recognize the talents of its own citizens, which are honored as far as he is extensively known, for the care and comfort and cure, if practicable, of the insane; for the peace, order and protection of families and civil society in all parts of the State, the writer earnestly hopes that the well known useful services of Dr. Grissom will be continued, in all these relations; as his past political opinion is the only known shadow of a well-earned, high reputation.

## The Wolf in North Carolina.

(Richmond Dispatch.)

The telegraphic developments of the Chandler conspiracy show that the Radical wolf howled awhile around the Conservative sheep-fold in North Carolina. Vance was so well and solidly rounded out that the wolf conceived that there was good eating in the flock, and he looked with longing eyes upon it. The proverbial contentment with Keogh, the leader of the howlers in North Carolina, and it may be inferred that the raid at one time contemplated was not abandoned except for good and sufficient reasons. It was done with reluctance. We congratulate Governor Vance upon his escape from the wolves. Had they broken into the North Carolina sheep-fold he would have been smartly worried, to say the least.

## DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

The Co-Partnership heretofore existing under the name of Carpenter & Earl, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Their successors in business, Messrs. G. W. CARPENTER & CO., are authorized to collect all debts due the old firm.

G. W. CARPENTER,  
J. O. EARL.

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 10, 1877.

As successors of Messrs. Carpenter & Earl we shall continue the

## Coal, Wood and Lumber

business at their old place, and shall be prepared to fill orders left at Carner's drug store, or sent to us, either by mail, or to yard direct.

G. W. CARPENTER & CO.  
Jan 11-47.

## T. O. M. COOPER'S

Laurel Valley and CENTENNIAL OLD RYE

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## WHEAT WHISKY,

a large lot

ALWAYS ON HAND FROM TWO TO FOUR YEARS OLD.

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